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SUBJECT: CLOSING OF U.S. TRADE CENTER (USTC)

REF: B.A. 6378

1. COMMERCE AGREEABLE TO PHASE OUT USTC BY NOV 30, 1974.
2. LAST USTC EVENT WILL BE HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION AND HEALTH CARE CATALOG SHOW OCT 7-11. MATERIALS HANDLING EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION SCHEDULED FOR NOV 4-8 IS BEING CANCELLED, DUE IN PART TO THE USTC'S LIMITATIONS IN ACCOMMODATING LARGE SIZE HEAVY EQUIPMENT AND POOR RESULTS IN POLLING APPLICABLE UNIVERSE IN THE U.S. AND ARGENTINA. (SEE B.A. CABLE 5960). NO BSP'S SHOULD BE SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER.
3. EDWARD CHAPMAN, DIRECTOR SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION OIM, ETA BUENOS AIRES IS OCT 15. MR. CHAPMAN WILL HAVE DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS USTC INVENTORY AND ASSIST IN CLOSING.

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4. BEVANS, ACTING DIRECTOR ETD BUENOS AIRES IS EXPECTED
NOAEMBER 1 FOR ORIENTATION IN WASHINGTON AND
SUBSEQUENT TRANSFER TO NEW POST. LETTER OF EXPLANATION AND
INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHIPMENT BEVANS HHE WILL FOLLOW.

5. STATE CONTINUES TO SEEK WAYS AND MEANS TO AMELIORATE
EMBASSY COMMERCIAL STAFFING PROBLEMS.
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